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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

N. Parker Willis, et al.

Serial No.: 09/128,304

Filed: August 3, 1998

For: **A DYNAMICALLY ALTERABLE
THREE-DIMENSIONAL
GRAPHICAL MODEL OF A
BODY REGION**

Group Art Unit: 3737

Examiner: Eleni M. Mantis Mercader

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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**Response under 37 CFR 1.116
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Dear Sir:

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This letter is responsive to the Final Office Action dated January 13, 2004. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.116(a), Applicants respectfully request entry of this amendment, which, if entered, will place the application in condition for allowance or in better form for appeal.

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